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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Secy. Health

Mudushedde, Mangalore Taluk.
Dated 19th Oct. 1953.

To

Hon'ble Minister for Public Health,
Government of Madras, Fort. St.George,
Madras-I.

MINISTER FOR HEALTH
31 OCT 1953
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

SECRETARY
3 NOV 1953
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
4 NOV 1953
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Petition of the residents of the Tiruvail & Mudushedde Villages of Mangalore Taluk, South Kanara Dt.

Respected Sir

We have come to understand that recently a licence has been granted by the Special Officer Dt.Board, South Kanara to establish a tannery in Tiruvail Village near the 7th mile stone on the Mangalore-Karkal Highway. We came to know of this only very recently and hence it is that we have come up with this petition now.

It is a well known fact that a tannery gives out stinking and offensive smell always to a distance of even a mile or two from the tannery building. There are numerous residential buildings round about the place where the proposed tannery is put up. Further the water source for practically the whole of Tiruvail village starts from the very place where the tannery is to be established. Thus it is obvious that this place is very very unsuitable and likely to cause pollution of drinking water and breething air also and we the residents of the locality are bound to suffer immensely.

Further very near to the place on the Western side of it the Tuberculosis Sanatorium buildings are also coming up at a distance of about two furlongs from this place. During the major part of the day the land breeze will be blowing from the tannery side to the sanatorium side. That will be detrimental to the poor sufferers in the sanatorium also.

Further it is a well known fact that the refusement areas like skin pieces, hair, etc, are likely to be carried by crows and dogs and dropped into the neighbouring drinking water sources and compounds, which is also very very abnoxious to the residents.

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We therefore humbly pray that this matter may thouroughly be investigated in the light of the above representation and pending final orders to the licencee may be asked not to proceed with any work in connection with the establishment of a tannery in the said site.

Any communications in respect of this petition may be communicated to Sri. Narayana Bhandary, Landlord, Mudushedde village, Vamanjur Post, Mangalore Taluk, S.K.Dt.

Yours faithfully

39. K. Narayana Naik

38 [illegible]
K. Mahabala Naik

2. V. Subraya Pandith

3. N. Seethamma Devi

4. K. Thonda Rai.

5 S. Subrayya Rao

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7 K. Sadashiva Alloppa

8 Alex Monteiro

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11 M. Vittal Shetty

12. K. Sankappa Rai

13. J. Srinivasa Rao

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15. B. Thimmappa

16. K. Ramappa

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See, Bharath Sevak Samaj

18. B. Shiva Naik

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20. M. Madhwa Bhat.

21. P. Padmanabhayya

22. S. Soonaya Poojary

23 J. Sadashiva Rao

24. [illegible]

25. K. Nithappa

26 K. [illegible]

27 J. Nityanda Shetty

28. S. Narayana Bandale

29. [illegible]

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32. [illegible]

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36 Sylvester Monteiro

37 Norbert Monteiro

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3 Health Edn & LA (HW)

Sub :- Licence- South Kanara Dt- Tirwail and Mudushedde villages (Mangalore Taluk) Establishment of a Tannery on the Mangalore Karkal Highway — Objections against.

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Ref: From certain residents of the Tirwail & Mudushedde villages Mahazar dt 19.10.53.

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Memo 5810B/53. 1- Health dt. 10.11.53 Edn & LA (HW)

A copy of the petition cited is forwarded to the D.P.H for urgent remarks.

7/10/53 7.11.53

To the D.P.H (with a copy of M.I-2 cf)

ERd 23/11 to DPH

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12-11-53

Secretary, Health:

This petition was personally presented to me yesterday by the villagers on my way to Bajpe. The grant of licence for a tannery at this place will, apart from the objections raised in the petition, become a source of nuisance to the tuberculosis sanatorium also. This matter may be immediately enquired into.

8/11/53

Minister (Health)

To
The Hon'ble Minister For Health,
Government of Madras, at Mangalore Camp.

From:
D. Mohan Rao, B.A., B.L.
Secretary, The Madras Provincial
Welfare Fund, South Kanara Dt.,
G.H. Temple Street, MANGALORE-1.

Dated: 8-11-1953.

SECRETARIAT
10 NOV 1953
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sub: Proposed tannary near the Mudushedde T.B. Sanatorium.

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You are aware that T.B. Sanatorium buildings are under construction at Mudushedde, near Mangalore with donations from the general public and Government grant and that after completion of the buildings, the Government are to maintain the Sanatorium.

That it was only recently that I came to know that the Special Officer, South Kanara District Board has granted a licence to an individual to establish a tannery in Thiruvail village near the T.B. Sanatorium site. It is a well known fact that the manufacturing process in a tannery necessarily gives out a stinking and most offensive smell injurious to health in a radius of a mile round about the tannery.

On 14-10-1953, at a time when the tannery building was only at the foundation stage, I wrote a letter to the Special Officer and also to the District Medical Officer, requesting the Special Officer to review his order granting the licence to the tannery with special reference to the contiguity of the T.B. Sanatorium and that pending his consideration of the points raised in my letter, he may please direct stay of further action by the licensee. (A copy of my letter to the Special Officer is given in the annexure below. No.1)

So far the Special Officer, District Board has not even acknowledged receipt of my letter and in the meantime, the licensee of the tannery is constructing his buildings at a rapid rate.

The District Medical Officer to whom I had written my letter reproduced in the annexure 1, visited the T.B. site on 26-10-1953 along with Sri. Y.P. Vasudevan, T.B. Specialist of Trichinopoly and others, and after inspection has written to me

in his Ref.C.N.10849/53 dated 29-10-'53 stating " I inspected the site. It is highly objectionable to have the tannery anywhere near the Tuberculosis Sanatorium". (This letter is reproduced in annexure 2 below).

I had got measured the distance between the present buildings of the Sanatorium and the tannery. They are as follows:- 670 yards from the Sanatorium Building to the proposed Tannery building.

In this connection I may also state that according to the approved layout of the Sanatorium, buildings in future will have to be put up much nearer to the present tannery building.

Breeze is blowing from the tannery side towards the Sanatorium side.

We will also be applying through proper channels for applying the Sanatorium Act to our Sanatorium also.

In the interest of the T.B. Sanatorium, therefore, I would urge the Hon'ble Minister to have the matter of licensing a tannery so near the T.B. Sanatorium examined thoroughly and meanwhile, lest complications about a big tannery building having already been built and working, arising, further work on the proposed tannery building be stayed.

I remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully,

D. Madhava Rao
Secretary.

Copy to: (1) The Special Officer, South Kanara District Board, Mangalore-1.
(2) The District Medical Officer, South Kanara, Mangalore-1.

Enclosure:- Annexure 1 & 2

ANNEXTURE - 1.

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14th October 1953.

From:
D. Mohan Rao, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary, The Madras Provincial
Welfare Fund, South Kanara District
Branch, G.K.Temple Street, MANGALORE-1.

To

(1) The Special Officer,
South Kanara District Board,
MANGALORE - 1.

(2) The District Medical Officer,
South Kanara District,
Hampankatta, MANGALORE-1.

Sirs,

Recently I heard that a license to establish a Tennary in Thiruvail Village near the 7th mile stone on the Mangalore-Karkal Highway has been granted to an individual.

It is a well-known fact that the manufacturing process in a tannery necessarily give out a stinking and most offensive smell injurious to health. I am positive that this tannery if established will be a source of daily nuisance to the T.B. Sanatorium which is being built nearby and which is expected to start working in the near future.

I am afraid the nearness of the T.B. Sanatorium to the proposed site for the tannery has not been given adequate consideration when granting the license.

Before granting lands to the Mangalore Municipality for a trenching ground even though the said site was far far away from the T.B. Sanatorium site, the ten collector Sri. S. R. Kaiwar, I.C.S., inspected the site after notice to me and obtained meteorological reports about the direction of the wind etc., and after thoroughly investigating the matter with reference to the Sanatorium site, recommended the site for the trenching ground that too on a tentative basis.

The Government in their G.O. Mis. No.3096, Health, dated 3-10-1952, have ordered that Government vacant lands within two miles of any T.B. Sanatorium in the State, should be entered in the Prohibitory Order Book, the intention being that indiscriminate building activity should not lead to deterioration of health and sanitary condition of the Area thereby rendering it unfit to be used any longer as a Sanatorium. It is also mentioned that lands which have been already assiged for cultivation could remain undisturbed so long as the lands are used for cultivation only. Appropriate action should be taken to prevent buildings springing up or dismantle them if they spring up. This G.O. has been passed to take effect up to a distance of two miles from a Sanatorium site awovedly with the object of safe-guarding the health and sanitary conditions of a Sanatorium.

Now in granting a license for a tannery only about two or three furlongs from the Moodushedde Sanatorium site, I feel that the adverse effect of the same on the Sanatorium has not been taken into consideration at all.

I would therefore request the Special Officer, South Kanara District Board, to immediately suspend the license, if any granted for a tannery, and review the order in the light of the results of a thorough investigation of the pros and cons in respect of the needs of the T.B.Sanatorium at Moodushedde.

I may please be informed of the action taken in this

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in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

(sd) D.Mohan Rao.

Secretary.

ANNEXTURE - 2.

Office of the District Medical Officer, South Kanara, Mangalore, Dated 29-10-1953.

C.N.10849/53.

From
Dr.R.S.Kesavaraj, M.B.B.S.,
District Medical Officer,
South Kanara, Mangalore.

To
Sri. D. Mohan Rao, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary, The Madras Provincial
Welfare Fund, South Kanara
District Branch, MANGALORE (1).

Sir,

Reference:- Your letter dated 14th October 1953 regarding the establishment of a Tannery in Thiruvail Village near the 7th Mile stone on the Mangalore-Karkal Highway.

I inspected the site. It is highly objectionable to have a tannery anywhere near the Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

Yours faithfully,

(Sd) R.S.Kesavaraj. 29/10.

M.B.B.S.

District Medical Officer, South Kanara, MANGALORE.

/True copy/.

D. Mohan Rao

Secretary.

Same as at pp 1-2 ante

To Mangalore-4-11-53.

The Hon'ble Minister for Public Health,
Government of Madras,
Fort. St.George, Madras-I.

Humble petition of the residents of Tiruvail & Mudushedde Villages, of Mangalore Taluk, South Kanara District: S.Kanara.

Respected Sirs,

We have come to understand that recently a licence has been granted by the Special officer, South Kanara District Board, to establish a tannery in Tiruvail village near the 7th mile stone on the Mangalore-Karkal Highway. We cameto know of this only very recently and hence it is that we have come up with this petition now.

It is a well known fact that a tannery gives out stinking and offensive smell always to a distance of about a mile or two from the tannery building. There are numerous residential buildings round about the place where the proposed tannery is put up. Further the water source for practically the whole of Tiruvail village starts from the very place where the tannery is to be established. Thus it is obvious that this place place is very very unsuitable and likely to cause polution of drinking water and breathing air also, and we the residents of the locality are bound to suffer immensely.

Further very near to the place on the western side of which the Tuberculosis Sanatorium buildings are also coming up at a distance of about 2 furlongs from this place.

During the major part of the day the land breeze will be blowing from the tannery site to the sanatorium site. That will be detrimental to the poor sufferers of the sanatorium also.

Further it is a well know fact that refuse materials like skin pieces, hair etc. are likely to be carried by crows and dogs and drop to the neighbouring drinking sources and compounds which is also very very abnoxious to the residents.

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We therefore humbly pray that this matter may throughly be investigated in the light of the above representations and pending final orders the licencee may be asked not to proceed with any work in connection with the establishment of a tannery in the said site.

Any communication in respect of this petition may be communicated to Sri. Narayana Bhandary, Landlord and Secretary Bharat Sevak Samaj, Mudushedde village, Vamanjoor post, Mangalore Taluk, South Kanara District.

V. Subraya Pandith
K. Thonda Rai
K. Sankappa Rai
K. Nanappa Malli
P. Padmanabhayya
A. Subbaya
T. Srinivasa Rao

Yours faithfully,

6/11/53

Copy to :-

1) Sri. K. Sadananda Hegde, M.A., B.L., Advocate, Member Council of States, K.S. Rao, road, Mangalore.

N. Seetharamma Adiga
M. Ghanabhat
S. Subraya Rao
M. Madhava Bhat
B. Shiva Mada
C. Sanjiva Rao

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Very urgent

Sub: Licence South Kanara Dt — Estt of a tannery on the Mangalore Karkal Highway near Thirwail village - Objections to

Ref: from Sri D. Mohan Rao, Secretary The Madras Provl welfare Fund, South Kanara Dt, Mangalore petition dt 8/11/53

from certain residents of Thirwail and Mudushedde villages, Mangalore Tk, petition dt 7-11-53.

Memo. 58108/53. 2 — Health V, dt 21-11-53

~~A Copy of each of the~~ The petitions cited are forwarded to the D.P.H. for remarks in Continuation of Govt Memo no 58108/53.1: Health V dt 10/11/53. The Director is requested to treat the matter as very urgent.

17/18/11/53 KMS 18.11.53

To the D.P.H (with ~~a copy of pp 1-2 cf & pp 7-8 cf &~~ pp1-4 & pp7-8 cf in original to be returned with a reply)

21/11/53

21/11/53 - P.T.O.

sent in original to D.P.H

The petition on pages 1-2 cf from the Secy, The Madras Provl welfare Fund, South Kanara Dt, Mangalore, the minutes of U(H) on pp 1 cf, the petition from certain villagers of Thirwail and Mudushedde villages, Mangalore Tk, on pp 7-8 cf and the minutes

(Sent in original to D.P.H)

sent in original to D.P.H

P.T.O.

Ref.

of M(H) on pg 5 cf may be perused

A similar mahazar petition has already been received in this deptt and the Remarks of the D.P.H have been called thereon. The receipt of the D.P.H's remarks is awaited ~~It is for orders~~ ~~to whether~~ The papers on pgs 1-4 cf + pgs 7-8 cf may be forwarded to the D.P.H in continuation of Govt Memo No 58108/53.1. Health IV dt 10-11-53 for his remarks.

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X Where is our memo?

Sd/- 21/11/53

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Subject to orders, the draft memo overleaf is for approval

18/11/53

M(H) may see after issue

Sd/- 21/11.

KMS 18.11.53

21/11/53

S.A. Srilekha 21.11.53

M(H) 28/11

X Issued as Memo 58108/53.2. Health IV 21-11-53

SECRETARY :: 28 NOV 1953 :: EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

L.Dis.No.94077 -4-Hyg(3)/53 Office of the Director of Public Health,
Madras, dt/ 24-12-1953.

SUB: LICENCE--South Kanara District--Tiruvail and Mudushedde villages (Mangalore taluk) establishment of a tannery on the Mangalore Karkal Highways--objection against.

REF: (1) Government memorandum no.58108/53-1- Health, dated 10-11-1953.
(2) Government memorandum no.58108/53-2 Health V dated 21-11-53.

I enclose herewith copies of letters Ref.C.No.3593-B-53 dated 4-12-1953 and Roc.No.3593-B-53 dated 15-12-53 of the District Health Officer South Arcot-Kanara. In the Circumstances stated therein, there is no objection from the public health point of view, for the grant of licence for the establishment of a tannery in the site in question.

2. The enclosures received with Government memorandum no. 58108/53-2 Health V dated 21-11-53 are herewith retransmitted.

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for Director of Public Health
MADRAS.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Health, Education and Local Administration Department,
Fort St.George, MADRAS.9.

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Copy of letter No.C.3593/53 dated 4-12-1953 from the District Health Officer, South Kanara, Mangalore to this office.

SUB: LICENCE--Dangerous and Offensive Trades--Tiruvail village, Mangalore taluk--South Kanra District---grant of licence for a tannery objection--petition remarks offered.

REF: Director of Public Health's R.No.89130-1-Hyg(3)53 dated 4-11-1953 R.No.940Ø77/Hyg(3)53 dated 23-11-1953 and R.No.94077/2Hyg(3)53 dated 28-11-1953.

An application for construction of a building for a tannery without installation of any machinery received by the Special Officer, District Board, South Kanara from Mesas Sequeira and company on 9-7-1953 was forwarded to me for remarks as to whether it was objection able from public health point of view on 23-7-1953. This was forwarded to the Health Inspector, Mangalore Range and was received back from him with the remarks dated 8;8-1953 and 14-8-1953 (copies enclosed).

I also inspected the site and the paper was retransmitted to the Special Officer, District Board with my remarks in this office N.Dis.No.2481/53 dated 17-8-1953. (copy enclosed).

It will be seen that the site complies with the bye-laws framed by the District Board which requires a clear open space of 200 yds all round. Hence I had to state that it is not possi-objectionable from the public health point of view. It is located in between the Sanatorium premises and the main road on the eastern side. It is not located on the wind-ward side as stated in the petition. The main winds blow usually from the West and South .The distance between the Sanatorium grounds and tannery building is about 930 yds., as per Health Inspector's report and it is low down at the bottom of the slope of the hill and the Sanatorium is at the top of the hill. Nevertheless I felt that the Collector and the President of the Provincial Welfare Committee who is constructing the Sanatorium should personally inspect the locality before granting the licence so that any aspect prejudicial to the Sanatorium may be examined to avoid any other objections. I do not know whether this suggestion was accepted by the Special Officer . It will thus be seen that there was no definite recommendation of the District Health Officer for grant of licence. The Special Officer granted permission to construct and run the tannery in D.Dis.15538/53 dated 16-9 -

I understand subsequently that there was a protest from the public to the Health Minister and petitions were sent to the Government, and Director of Public Health.The Special Officer has now passed orders keeping in abeyance the permission granted to the party pending further investigation into the objections.

The G.O.NO.3096 Health dated 3-10-1952 quoted by the petitioner regarding assignment or leasing out of lands and construction of buildings on such land applies only to Government lands within a radius of 2 miles of the Sanatorium. This is a patta land and therefore the above G O.does not apply in this case.

This is a small tannery, without installing any machinery, employing only about 5 or 6 people and there is sufficient provision in the bye-laws framed by the Board to see that all the flesh,hair, and effluent is properly collected and disposed off without emitting any bad smell or being a nuisance to the neighbourhood of the tannery. There is also provision in the bye.laws to cancel the licence granted in case any of the bye-laws are infringed.

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copy of remarks C.No.345/53 dated 8-8-1953 of the Health Inspector, Mangalore.

I inspected the proposed site in question for running a tannery in field No.10 of Tiruvail village on 7-8-1953. The nearest dwelling house is at a distance of 204 yds., away from the proposed site for the tannery. The site in question may be approved. But no construction has been done so far for the trade purposes as per the enclosed ground plan and the building sketch. Licence may be granted only subject to the construction of the building as per rules required for the trade at the site in question and also to the provision of a two seated flush out pit latfine for the workers.

Sd.B.N.Karkera,
Health Inspector, Mangalore range.

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copy of remarks C.NO.345/53 of the Health Inspector, Mangalore range dated 14-8-1953.

In continuation of my report regarding the tannery site in Tiruvail village, I submit that the distance between the proposed tannery site and the compound wall of the Sanatorium in Mudashedde village is 930 yds. and in between these two compound walls is another compound measuring 500 yds in length.

sd. B.N?Karkera,
/true copy/Health Inspector, Mangalore range

copy of remarks N.Dis.No.2481/53 dated 17/8/53 of the District Health Officer, South Kanara.

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1. There is no objection to the grant of permission for the tannery from public health point of view as there is more than 200 yds of open space all round as required by the rules. vide laws

2. The site lies on the eastern side of the Mudashedde Sanatorium premises at the 7th mile on the Mangalore Mudabidri road and there is a distance of nearly 930 yds between the Sanatorium ground and the proposed tannery site. The site may kindly be inspected by the Special Officer and the Collector, who is also the President of the South Kanara Branch of the Provincial Welfare Association (by whom the Sanatorium is constructed) before permission is granted.

Sd.C.S.Ramachandra Pai,
District Health Officer, S.Kanara.

/true copy/

for Directorof Public Health,
Madras.

copy of letter Roc.No.3593-B/53 dated 15th December 53 to this office.

LICENCE--Dangerous and offensive trades--Tiruvail village, Mangalore taluk--South Kanara Dt-grant of licence--for tannery--remarks furnished.

Your R.No.94077/3/Hyg(3)/53 dated 11-12-1953.

With reference to the above I have to state that:-

1. There is sufficient land all round the proposed tannery for the satisfactory disposal of the effluent and tannery wastes as contemplated in G.O.No.4842 Public Health dated 14-10-1940 and as this is a new tannery on a small scale these orders should be fully enforced.

2. The nature of the soil and fields in the

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neighbourhood is suitable for implementing the recommendation of the tannery committee regarding the satisfactory disposal of tannery wastes.

/true copy/

for Director of Public Health,
Madras.

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58108/53 Sub: Licence - South Kanara Dt - Tirivail and Mudushedde villages - Mangalore Taluk - Establishment of a tannery near — Objections against.

Ref: from the D.P.H Lr.No. 94077 - 4 · Hyg (3)/53 dt 24.12.53

Memo 58108/53.3 · Health, dt 1.2.54

~~The D.P.H is requested to state~~ ~~it has been reported that~~ whether or not it is highly objectionable to ~~locate~~ establish a tannery very close to the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Mudushedde. ~~The D.P.H is requested~~ to send a ~~detailed~~ special report to the Govt in the matter after making a personal inspection of the place, if necessary

Minutes of the D.P.H's visit

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To the D.P.H

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C.F. 98—20,796—50,000—8-53

DEPARTMENT.

REMINDER: Health Branch.

10 MAR 1954

To THE Director of Public Health

~~have the honour to invite~~
I am directed to invite attention to Govt Memo
~~invite~~
No. 58108/53.3-Health, dated 1.2.54 and
to request that the reply to it may be expedited.
~~request that this reminder may be returned at once~~
~~with information as to—~~

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
6 MAR 1954
MADRAS

(1) the stage at which the matter now is,
(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

Office Secretariat
Station Fort St George Madras
Dated 4/3/54

Signature.
Assistant Secretary
for Designation.

SUBJECT. Licence - South Kanara Dt - Irwail and Mudushedde Villages - Mangalore Taluk - Establishment of a tannery near - Objections against.

4/3/54 to Govt

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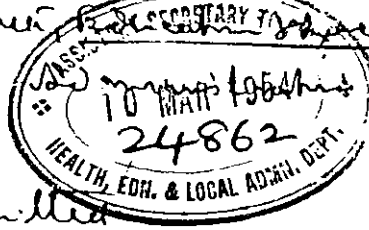
No. 12750-11/gg(2)/54 dt 9/3/54

REPLY.

To The Asst. Secretary to Government,
Health Education & Welfare Department



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2) The paper has been marked for personal inspection - Reply to Government will be sent after an inspection of the places.

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For Director of Public Health

Madras.

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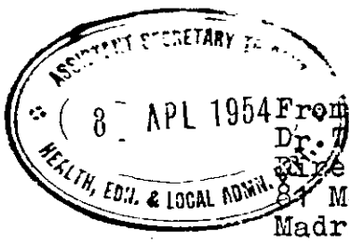

From
Dr.T.S.Adisubramaniam,D.I.H(Eng)
Director of Public Health,
81 Mount Road,Cathedral Post,
Madras 6.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Health,Education and Local
Administration Department,
Fort St.George,Madras 9.

34789 L.DIS.94077-5.Hyg(3)53 Dated 1-4-54.

Sir,

Sub:LICENCE--South Kanara District--Tiruvail and Mudushedde villages-Mangalore Taluk-Establishment of a tannery near--objections against.
Ref:Government Memo No.58108-53-3 dated 1-2-54.

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I inspected the site of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium and the proposed tannery at Mudushedde on 27-3-54.

The proposed tannery is 930 yards away from the T.B.Sanatorium and is more than 200 yards away from the nearest dwelling. It is moreover, situated at the bottom of a hill, of about 150 feet height and the sanatorium is at the top of the same hill. There is no drinking water source nearby. So, the tannery satisfies all the by-laws.

But, from previous experience at Chrompet, Pallavaram, Erode and other places, it is known that tanneries can be a source of nuisance much beyond the 200 yards limit prescribed in the by-laws, if the owners of tanneries show any laxity in adhering to the working conditions. I therefore agree that it is not desirable to permit the establishment of a tannery, so close to the T.B.Sanatorium.

I understand that the Special Officer of South Kanara District Board has since cancelled the licence issued to the tannery.

Yours faithfully,

1/4/54

For Director of Public Health,
Madras.

Nrs.

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Sub: Licence - South Kanara Dt - Tiruvail and Mudushedde villages (Mangalore Taluk) Establishment of a Tannery on the Mangalore Karkal Highway - Objections against grant of.

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pp 1-2 cf Ref: From certain residents of Tiruvail & Mudushedde villages, Mahazar dt 19.10.53

p 3 cf Govt Memo no 58108/53 - Health dated 10.11.53 from Sri D. Mohan Rao, Secretary, the

Mp 7-8 cf Madras Prood (State) Welfare Fund, South Kanara Dt, Mangalore, petition dated 8/11/53

p 11 cf From certain residents of Tiruvail and Mudushedde villages, petition dt 4.11.53

p 13 cf Govt. Memo no 58108/53-2 Health dt 21/11/53

p 15 cf From the D.P.H Lr.is no 94077 - 4 Hyg (3)/53 dt 24/12/53

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Extracts of the minutes of M(H) on p 5 cf and page 7 cf

Secretary, Health

This petition was personally presented to me yesterday by the villagers on my way to Bajpe. The grant of licence for a tannery at this place will, apart from the objections raised in the petition, become a source of nuisance to the Tuberculosis sanitorium also. This matter may be immediately enquired into.

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A.B. Shetty
M (H)
8.11.53.

Secretary Health

Urgent. May be examined and put up early.

A.B (shetty)
8/11/53 M(H)

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Representations have been made to Govt by certain residents of Tirivail and Mudushedde villages (in Mangalore Taluk South Kanara Dt) in their petitions on page 1-cf and ~~and by Sri D Mohan Rao, Secretary Mutta Reddy Board Welfare Trust c/o Dt Bd on p 1-7 cf~~ and ff pp 1a-1Q cf against the grant of permission by the Special Officer, District Board South Kanara, for the establishment a tannery near the Tirivail village, where a T.B. Sanatorium is shortly to be built. The petitioners request for the reasons stated at A, B & C on page 1 cf that the question of allowing the tannery building (at the proposed site) and of licensing the trade in question may be investigated thoroughly in the light of the representations made and that pending issue of final orders, the licensee may be asked not to proceed with the construction of the tannery building. ~~The extract of the minutes of M(H) on these representations are at 'M' overleaf.~~ As minuted by M(H) above a report was called for from the D.P.H — Vide ors. on p 3 cf & p 13 cf. The reply since received from the D.P.H is at p 15 cf. The facts of the case and the circumstances under which the Special Officer, Dt. Bd, South Kanara had to grant permission to Sri Sequeria & Company on 16-9-53 for the construction of a tannery building are set out in D.H.O's letter on p 17 cf. It is stated at 'M' on p 17 cf that the S.O. Dt Bd has since passed orders keeping in abeyance the permission granted to the party pending further investigation into the objections now raised. If the Spl officer is convinced after a thorough investigation of the complaints that the tannery building is likely to become a source of nuisance either to the residents of the locality or to the proposed

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Sanatorium at Mudushedde he is likely to Cancel the licence granted by him to the Company. It is seen from the D.H.O's report that he sees no objection to the grant of permission for the tannery building in question from the public health point of view. The D.P.H has also agreed with the D.H.O's views. In the circumstances it does not seem necessary to call for the remarks of the C.Sr of South Kanara (who is also the S.O. of the Dt Bd). for orders.

The case may be circulated to M(H) for orders. Perhaps it would be sufficient for the present if the petitions at PP1-2 & PP7-8 Cy are transferred to the S.O. Dt Bd, South Kanara for considering the objections contained therein. For orders.

(X) Copy of this note as it contains minutes of M(H)

12/1/54 KMS 16.1.54

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This may be done.

14/1/54

DS M(H)'s minute on f/1 ante

8/1/54

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SA Sulaiman

20/1/54

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M(H) I have personally seen the place. I think it is highly objectionable to have the tannery so close to the Tuberculosis Sanatorium. A special report may be called for from the D.P.H

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DS

22/1

Please see the minutes of M(H) above. A draft memo is submitted for approval

Read 25/1

28/1/54 KMS 28.1.54

29/1/54

DS

8/1/54

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~~From the D.P.H Nos 12780-1 Hyg (2)/54 dt 9/3/54~~ p24c

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~~The D.P.H may be reminded again~~, if necessary on 15/4/54

13/3/54 KW 13-3-54

15/3/54

[From the D.P.H Nos 94077-5 Hyg (3)/53 dt 1.4.54) p25c

With reference to M(H)'s minutes on page 3 ante please see the memo to the D.P.H on p21c and his reply thereto on p25c. He considers para 3, p25c that permission for the establishment of a tannery at Mudushedde (close to the T.B. Sanatorium should not be granted for the reasons stated at 'X' on p25c. In view of 'Y' on p25c it does not seem that any further action is called for. ~~For orders whether the petitioners may be told that suitable action has been taken in the matter~~ may be submitted to M(H) for orders.

Y
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7/4/54 KW 7-4-54

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S.A. Subban
9.4.54

M(CH) 12/4

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The papers may now be closed as Recorded as a G.O.

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